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1 Square, \$3	10	1 Square, \$3	10
2 Squares, 12	15	2 Squares, 12	15
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12 Squares, 72	65	12 Squares, 72	65
13 Squares, 78	70	13 Squares, 78	70
14 Squares, 84	75	14 Squares, 84	75
15 Squares, 90	80	15 Squares, 90	80
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These rates are as moderate as any published in the South, and will be strictly adhered to. All advertisements not contracted for under these rates will be charged regular rates.

STONE & UZZELL.

The Raleigh Daily News.

JORDAN STONE, Managing Editor.

SAM'L T. WILLIAMS, Political Editor.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1872.

STATE CONVENTION.

The State Convention of the Democratic-Conservative Party of North Carolina will meet at Greensboro on Wednesday, the first day of May next.

Delegates to the Convention will be passed over the several railroads for one fare.

WAKE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION.

The Democrats and Conservatives of Wake County will assemble in Convention at the Court house in this city, on Saturday, May 18th, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various county offices to be filled in the approaching election in August next, and to thoroughly organize the party in the county for the coming election. Townships are requested to hold meetings and appoint delegates.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The District Convention of the Democratic-Conservative party for the nomination of a candidate to represent the Fourth Congressional District will be held in the city of Raleigh on June 6th, 1872, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The Executive Committee will endeavor to make arrangements with the various Railroads to pass delegates at half fare. Due notice of this and other necessary matters will be announced. By order Executive Committee,

R. W. YORK, For Committee.

Hillsboro Recorder, Louisburg Courier, Battleboro Advance, please copy.

FIRST DISTRICT.

In pursuance of the plan of re-organization adopted by the State Executive Committee of the Democratic-Conservative party, we give notice that a Convention of that party for the First Congressional District has been called to assemble in Edenton on Thursday, the twenty-third (23rd) day of May, 1872, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress. It is hoped that every county in the District will be fully represented in this Convention.

D. M. CARTER, Chairman District Executive Committee.

ELOQUENT LANGUAGE—HOW APPLICABLE TO JOHN POOL.

We hope every reader of the News will read the following scathing and manly rebuke of the Washington Patriot.

We wrote an editorial in yesterday's paper, in which we condemned the conduct of Senator Pool in deserting his post in the Senate, for the purpose of manipulating the proceedings of the North Carolina Radical State Convention. Pool came here as the avowed spokesman of Grant, to secure the nomination of Judge Settle and the endorsement of Abbott's claim.

It seems that the Radical Senator Lewis, of Virginia, went to Richmond on a similar errand with that of Pool. It is a remarkable coincidence that the Virginia Radical Convention met the same day that the Radical State Convention met in this city, and that the scallawag Senator Lewis, like John Pool, went to Richmond as the messenger of Grant. The language of the Patriot, so withering, so trenchant, so indignant, is applied to the conduct of Lewis—but every sentiment, every word applies with equal justice and equal force to the conduct of John Pool, who abandoned his duties as Senator, for a whole week, and came to North Carolina to manage the "mob of office-holders and office-seekers" who met here on the 17th inst.

But read what the Patriot says—only substitute Raleigh for Richmond, and you will have a life-like picture of the undignified, not to say disgraceful conduct of Senator Pool:

It is hardly possible to regard the spectacle presented at Richmond with patience, or to restrain the natural indignation which rises up, in seeing a Senator of the United States degrading the dignity of his position by becoming the recognized spokesman of a mob of office holders and office-seekers, and the messenger of the President, delivering his orders to regulate the action of a partisan convention. There was a time, and by no means remote, when a Senator from that proud old State would have sacrificed everything rather than have played this subservient part by which the honor of the "order" is troubled and its character humiliated in the eyes of the "world." The people are no longer look to the Senate with the pride and confidence which was once felt in that body, when Executive usurpation had alarmed the public mind, or the popular branch had failed in duty. They see seats almost bought at auction, and their occupants the most slavish worshippers of power. They see venality flaunting its meretricious colors in broad day, pride of place surrendered to arbitrary bidding, independence given up, and groveling desire substituted for high ambition. In presence of this promiscuous and decay of public morals in the supposed citadel of integrity, it is not surprising that a deceived people, with their great voice, should demand a change for the better.

THE PRESS ON RANSOM.

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For the first time since Thomas Bragg and Thomas L. Clingman resigned their seats as Senators in 1861, quite eleven years ago, North Carolina is today represented in the highest legislative body of the country by a man chosen as the representative of her people. Graham, Manly and Vance have been elected, but as they were the representatives of the sovereignty of the people, their places have been unfilled, and the creatures of a military government, foisted upon us by the bayonet, the spawn of ignorance and vice, have usurped the seats once honored by the great men of our State.

The telegraphic announcement will send a thrill of joy to the heart of every good citizen of North Carolina. General Matt W. Ransom, who was yesterday sworn in as Senator from North Carolina, is a representative of the virtue and intelligence of the State. He is a noble son of the State and a true representative of her people. He has grown up among them. He has connected himself honorably with the proud pages of her history. He is a gentleman of refined intelligence, a man of large views of unblemished character. He will do credit to himself and his people. He who slanders and vilifies our own people in the Senate Chamber, be he the recreant son who misrepresents us in the Senate, and whose name is a by-word and a reproach throughout the borders of North Carolina, or the most vindictive hater of our people in that body, will find that our State has now a Senator who will defend her people as the equal of the proudest constituency represented in that Chamber.

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"Col. Clark is well known as one of the rising young men of our State. He is a lawyer of fine ability and literary attainments, and is well qualified for the position. The Attorney General is now by act of the legislature, supreme court reporter, and Col. Clark is peculiarly fitted by his education, his highly cultivated taste and mental qualifications, for that duty. We think the democratic-conservative party should put forward some of its young men. Heretofore this has not been done, and this policy has been a pretext by some (a poor one, it is true) for abandoning our ranks and going over to the enemy for promotion. Besides, we think that the 2nd congressional district is entitled to some place on our State ticket. If such a man as Col. Clark was put upon our State ticket—a young man of energy, influence, and popularity, he would bring out our full strength, in such counties as Halifax, Edgecombe and the like.

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FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, GEN. D. H. HILL.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 24, '72.

Editor of the Daily News:

Dear Sir:—Allow me through the columns of your excellent paper, to suggest the name of that noble patriot and friend of learning, GEN. D. H. HILL, as a proper person for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Greensboro Convention.

CITIZEN.

An Innocent Man Eight Years in Prison.

The Philadelphia Evening Herald of the 24th inst., says:

James O'Neil, after having served more than eight years of a life sentence in the Rhode Island State prison, was released from that institution on Friday last, it having been recently shown that he was entirely innocent of the crime for which he was incarcerated. When informed that he was at liberty to quit the prison, he could hardly credit the welcome news. On his reaching the open street the liberated man drew a long, deep breath, with the heartfelt remark, "How sweet the air smells!" After he began to realize that he was really released, he said that he suffered more when told he was free than when he heard the sentence of imprisonment for life passed against him. He was taken in charge by a brother-in-law who lives in this city, and left with him on Saturday, for his home here. His parting words to his counsel, as he was about leaving in the cars, were: "God bless you, sir; only for you I'd be in the prison now."

Engineers are surveying the route for the Texas and Mississippi River Canal and Navigation Company.

Trout in some of the mountain streams of Southwest Virginia are dying from some unknown disease.

Sixty-five thousand pounds of pig metal were produced in Illinois last year.

The French academy proposes that drunkards shall be disfranchised.

A large orange crop is expected this year in Louisiana.

Out of the twenty-six million of Italians, seventeen million cannot read.

The "Norfolk (Va.) Turf Association" has been organized.

There was a small fire in 'Norfolk on Wednesday evening.

OBITUARY.

DIED, on Saturday, April 20th, Mrs. HATTIE P. ADAMS, wife of Peter H. Adams, Esq., and daughter of the lamented John A. Gilmer.

The above announcement will send a poignant pain through the hearts of the many who knew and loved Mrs. Hattie Adams. Her lovely christian life, the cheerfulness that ever welled up from her pure heart, her hospitality, her unselfishness, all went to make up a nearly perfect character as ever true this-cursed earth. The affectionate daughter, the loving and guiding sister, the tender and true wife, in her most happily blended, she died, as she had lived, a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church; almost without a struggle.

"Her quiet eye-lids closed, she had Another more than ours."

"Thanks be to God, who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ!"

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DOEPP & JONES,

PHARMACISTS and DRUGGISTS,

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Keep constantly on hand a full line of

DRUGS, FINE CHEMICALS,

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AT

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COLD SPARKLING SODA WATER.

With Genuine FRUIT SYRUPS, is now

dispensed from our new and elegant fountain at

No. 33 Fayetteville Street.

To this branch of our business we give our strict personal attention and it shall be our endeavor to maintain the high standard of excellence which it has acquired.

ap 27-1f

SYMPHONS.

For the convenience of persons at a distance and those who prefer to take

Soda and Mineral Waters

to their houses, we have introduced

holding ONE QUART each, from which

the waters can be drawn as sparkling as from the fountain, at

DOEPP & JONES'

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

We are requested to announce GEORGE T. STONACH, as a candidate for City Commissioner from the Eastern Ward.

CITY PAPERS PLEASE COPY TILL DAY.

NOTICE.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for Mayor of the City of Raleigh, at an election to be held on the 6th (sixth) day of May, 1872.

WM. H. HARRISON, City papers please copy till day.

FOR COMMISSIONER FROM EASTERN WARD.

We are authorized to announce R. T. BOSHER as a candidate for Commissioner from the Eastern Ward.

ap 10-1d

FOR COMMISSIONER FROM EASTERN WARD.

We are authorized to announce S. D. HARRISON, as a candidate for Commissioner from the Eastern Ward.

ap 11-1c

BATHING.

MRS. J. KARRER'S

BATHING ESTABLISHMENT,

RALEIGH, N. C.

This is the first establishment on the European style ever put up in this city.

It has been recommended by Drs. Johnson, W. H. and James McKee, and the Medical Profession generally.

Cleanliness, Comfort and good Attention, will be found at all times. Ladies can be accommodated by applying at the Grocery Store, corner of Martin and Salisbury streets, from 12 o'clock, M. to 5 P. M. Gentlemen accommodated from 5 P. M. to 10 o'clock, P. M.

CHARGES: 50 cents.

HOT BATH, (exclusively) 50 cents.

COLD BATH, (complete) 25 "

COLD BATH, (without Linen or Soap) 15 "

Secure your Tickets at the Store.

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

An Accountant and good Penman wishes employment. Apply at

THIS OFFICE.

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FOR RENT.

Two houses, containing 2 rooms each, with small garden, on East street, near my residence. These houses are in good condition, and suitable for a small family. Will be rented very low. Apply to

J. D. SLEDGE, Cor. Harp and East Sts.

ap 25-3f

STATE PENITENTIARY.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 20th, 1872.

By order of the Board of Directors "SEALED PROPOSALS" will be received at this office, until the 8th day of May next, for the "REPAIRS OF THIS ESTABLISHMENT."

EVERARD HALL, Deputy Warden.

FOR RENT.

THE ROCK STORE on north side of Market Square, at present occupied by W. H. Dennis & Co. The Store is well suited for a Grocery and Family Store. This is a rare opportunity for those wishing a good business stand.

Terms—Very moderate. Apply to

F. C. CHRISTOPHERS, North Side Market.

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W. J. HAWKINS.

C. M. HAWKINS.

HAWKINS & CO.

GENERAL

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

No. 43 West Lombard Street,

BALTIMORE.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The 19th Annual Meeting of the MEDICAL SOCIETY of North Carolina, will be held in New Bern, on Tuesday the 21st of May next, at 12 M.

New Board of Medical Examiners will be elected at this meeting.

Our friends throughout the State will place us under obligations if they will transpire in their respective sections, as we desire to make this department specially full.

What is looking well in Bloncomb County.

Fayetteville has over one hundred stores and business houses.

Davidson Superior Court convenes Monday.

Two mad dogs were killed in Nash County last Monday morning.

Endicott Superior Court, Judge Watts presiding, convenes on Monday.

The "Star" complains of dusty streets in Wilmington.

The Rutherford Star suspended with its issue.

A REVENUE stamp agency has been established at Hertford.

The work of laying the foundation of the new hotel at Elizabeth City has commenced.

Mrs. SALLIE BARNES, a highly respectable old lady of Wilson, died on Tuesday.

DELEGATES have been appointed to represent Columbus county in the Western Convention.

The Wilmington Dramatic Association performed in Wilmington on last Friday night.

The Superior Court of New Hanover County has adjourned until Monday next, when the civil docket will be called up.

WILLIAM ROSEBERRY died last week at a venerable age, at the age of 103 years. It is said that he and his son were in the war of 1812.

BEN. HART, Esq., has returned to Edgecombe county from Evans, Colorado. He will soon carry his family to the country.

The Rocky Mount Mail learns that a recently spoken of as having a residence in Nash county, has been for five years by parties who in an exhibiting him.

A group of negro laborers left recently for Columbus, Ohio, 300 more are to leave Guilford and adjoining counties for the same place.

The work of placing telegraph poles in the Wilmington, Charlotte and Norfolk railroad, has commenced, as soon as this is done, the wire will be laid.

GEORGE WADDELL, colored, accidentally shot himself in New Hanover County on Thursday. Several pieces of shrapnel were extracted from the wound, which was in the hand and arm.

The barn of W. E. Thompson, of Edgecombe county, containing tobacco, was burned on Sunday night last. Loss \$5000, covered by insurance. It is supposed to have been the work of incendiary.

A LIBERAL and satisfactory arrangement for the tariff of freight has been effected with the Petersburg Railroad Company by Mr. L. E. Finch, who represents the parties who propose improving the navigation of the Roanoke river.

The friends of the proposed railway from Wilmington to Wrightsville Sound met a meeting on Thursday evening, at R. French, Esq., being in the chair and Captain W. A. Cunningham acting as secretary. A committee consisting of A. Adrian, E. Murray, George Harris, A. E. Burruss, F. W. Kerchner, J. C. Allen and W. A. French, was appointed to open books, and receive subscriptions for the road.

A party of young men and a gang of negroes became involved in a difficulty in Richmond, Va., on Wednesday night, on account of unpleasant remarks made to the negroes, when several shots were exchanged, resulting in the wounding of Mr. David Childress through the back.

An accident occurred at the Portsmouth (Va.) navy yard on Wednesday afternoon, while a heavy crane was being launched, by which several persons were seriously, though not fatally, injured.

The only surviving officer of the navy of the Texas Republic is Capt. John G. Todd, who is old and poor. Efforts are being made to induce the government to include him among the naval officers who the rank he held at the time of the annexation.

Hon. John Jay, the United States Minister to Austria, and Count Andrassy, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, have exchanged ratifications of the Trade-Mark Convention recently negotiated between the United States and Austria.

Mrs. S. P. Laws, the postoffice clerk in Boston, who was convicted of sending money from letters, has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment.

The Workingmen's Protective Association, of Portsmouth, Va., has appointed a delegate to the Cincinnati Convention.

It is claimed that the projected Houston San Jacinto and Trinity canal, of Texas, will be the initiative to an extended system of canals in that State.

Rev. Father Handly, one of the clergymen of St. Peter's Cathedral, Richmond, Va., is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Shakes, who shot Fisk, is greatly reduced by his confinement and his hair is turned gray.

M. Jacques Felix, the father of Rashed, died recently in Paris, at the age of 74 years.

E. P. Seward, brother of Secretary Seward, died recently of apoplexy, at Fond du Lac, N. Y.

President Thiers is confined to his room by a cold.

It is denied that there is small pox at America, Ga.

The fruit growing in Kansas is flourishing.

FROM OUR WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT.

North Carolinians in Congress—Pool—Abbott's Case—Ransom—Wrecked by Centralized Despotism—And Other Items of Interest.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 24, 72.

The present week has been one of much interest in Congress and to the people of our State in particular.

After able and elaborate reports from the Committee on Privileges and Elections in case of General Joseph C. Abbott, and able and exhaustive speeches from both sides—the question was settled on yesterday, and in a body where Abbott's political friends are in an overwhelming majority, the Senate decided by a vote of 42 to 10 "that Abbott not having received a majority of votes cast by the North Carolina Legislature for the second Monday in November, 1870, for the office of Senator of the United States, is not entitled to a seat in the said United States Senate as Senator."

Every argument that ingenuity could urge, every case from the foundation of our government bearing on the points, and all the authorities of the English Parliament, were examined by the able advocates of Abbott, Mr. Carpenter, of Wisconsin, and Mr. Pool. These were fully met by General Logan, and Mr. Thurman, of Ohio, and the great point settled, that in this nation a majority must rule. On the final vote, only ten Senators (Ames, Chandler, Cragin, Gilbert, Howe, Nye, Osborn, Patterson, Pool and Sawyer) voted to sustain the preposterous claims set up by Abbott. Even Carpenter and Rice, who made the report in his favor, parted off, and did not vote. Mr. Pool made a legal argument, but he evidently seemed to labor in his endeavor to make "the worse appear the better reason." Thus ends this part of the case—the whole, so far as Abbott is concerned. He now can retire to the quiet retreat of Abbottsburg, and interest himself in the more pleasing employments of manufactures and agriculture. *Exit Abbott.*

This ought to settle the case of the seat, and General Ransom be admitted. General R. was in the Chamber and took, of course, the deepest interest in the proceedings. His course and conduct during this long period of penance has been such as has won for him "troops of friends." If he chafed under the delay, as his impulsive nature naturally must have done, yet no one saw it in his actions; and although of a temper

"To chide the thunder if it at him roared,"

he seems resigned to bide his fortunes, and trust to the justice and honor of his peers. [Later—General Ransom took his seat to-day.]

The resolution of the late Republican Convention in your City that "it would best subserve the public interests of the State and a majority of the people, that General Abbott should be seated" was brought up, and while it renders it necessary for a party before the people to defend this glaring attempt to overrule a majority of the State legally expressed, did the case no benefit before the Senate. It was looked upon as an attempt to instruct the Senate on their duty, on a question of which the Senate was sole judges.

Mr. Wadwell, from the Wilmington district, "fished his maiden sword" in the House, on the 13th inst., "on the condition of the South," and established his reputation as a polished debater and faithful representative. He showed the condition of the South, particularly of North Carolina, and in glowing language presented the condition of "this Ireland" of the Nation. He handled some of the powers that be in no measured terms.

"Unprized are her sons 'til they learn to betray,"

Undistinguished they live if they shame not their sires.

The force would light them to dignity's way.

Must be at the pile where their country expires.

The speech of Gen. James M. Leach, of the Davidson district, made the same day, on the great question of the age in our nation, "shall constitutional liberty be supplanted by a centralized despotism," is one of the great speeches of the session. As a faithful representative and a devoted son of his native State, he described the proud lineage of his beloved country—her history glowing in record, of honor and patriotism, and her chivalric sons now banished by unjust contumely and reproach.

He showed from facts and figures the deplorable condition of the finances, their corruptions and the extravagances of the General and State Governments, and the destruction of all free institutions from the Potomac to the Rio Grande, and quoted the words of an Indiana representative (Mr. Voorhees) to the majority of the present Congress: "The great body of the people of the South has had no more to do with the rebuilding of their local governments than the Sepoys of the British Empire." Looking at this unhappy state of affairs, the record of Scotland under the devastating rule of Macbeth may well be applied.

"Alas poor country! Almost afraid to know itself, it cannot be called our mother, but our grave!"

But in this speech of General Leach a bright future is predicted, and this future is to be accomplished by the true hearts and iron will of the people expressed in the coming election at the ballot box.

This speech I hope you will publish for your readers. General Leach has the reputation as one of the most attentive members of the House, and deservedly so. He is one of those who, in politics, are born to good luck, having never been so far as we believe, defeated before the people in any contest, however dubious and difficult. And whether leading the forlorn hope, as he did in his District last Summer, against well appointed and powerful odds, sustained by experienced and able combatants, as in Congress, foremost and fearless in the ranks of a minority, or put up as the standard bearer in the coming campaign, he will prove indomitable and energetic. Like Henry, of Navarre, at Ivry, our friends in the State and elsewhere, may

"Press where ye see my white plume shine, amid the ranks of war, And be your orphans to-day, the helmet of Navarre."

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"NOW I LAY ME DOWN TO SLEEP."

The following poem was handed us for publication by Mr. John G. Williams, of this city. It is from the pen of Eugene H. Pullen, a clerk in the National Bank of the Republic New York city and does credit to the author:

"Now I lay me down to sleep:
I pray the Lord my soul to keep;
As my childhood's early prayer,
Taught by mother's love and care,
Many years since have fled,
Mother slumbers with the dead,
Yet methinks I see her now,
With love-lit eye and holy brow,
As, kneeling by her side to pray,
She gently taught me how to say,
Now I lay me down to sleep:
I pray the Lord my soul to keep."
Oh! could the faith of childhood's days,
Oh! could its little hymns of praise,
Oh! could its simple, joyous trust
Be recreated from the dust
That lies around a wasted life,
The fruit of many a bitter strife,
Oh! then at night in prayer I bend,
And call my God, my Father, Friend,
And pray with childlike faith once more
The prayer my mother taught of yore:
"Now I lay me down to sleep:
I pray the Lord my soul to keep."

Too Late Regrets!

The moment a friend, or even a mere acquaintance, is dead, how surely there starts up before us each instance of unkindness of which we have been guilty towards him. In fact, many and many an act or word which while he was in life did not seem to us to be unkind at all, now "bites back" as it were a serpent, and shows us what it really was. Alas! 'twas thus we caused to suffer him who now is dust, and yet then we did not pity him, nor reproach ourselves.

There is always a bitterness beyond that of death in the dying of a fellow creature to whom we have been unjust or unkind. Some do not yet know this, having never lost any companion by death; but there are few indeed who will not, if they live long, find it out. How very differently do people treat each other from what they ought to do. And why can they not, for their own peace's sake, be more careful not to destroy or diminish the happiness of each other? There are in this world, at the best, many abiding shadows; why need men increase them by clothing their own faces in clouds? The human face should be radiant with the spirit of love, but it is rendered dull with indifference, or dark by ill-will. Oh! these stony faces of men; these cold, cruel eyes, that do not melt with pity; these withered hands, whose ready clasp might uphold those who are sinking; they know not whither; these hard, hard hearts, that can no longer be touched by tenderness, remorse will prove their master; and when death enters down and takes away the ones to whom they owed kindness, but gave it not, they will be made to quiver with the thought of what that soul, now before God, will have to report of them.

A New Haven landlord, on lately presenting his bill of rent to his tenant, an M. D. was taken into his private office, and shown a skeleton, with the remark: "That man came in here just two weeks ago with a bill!" He was somewhat startled, but quieted down when told that he "would be excused for this time, but in future—!"

As a wife was holding her husband's aching head in her hands one morning, she quietly asked: "Are a man and his wife one?" "I suppose so," said the husband. "Then," rejoined the wife, "I came home drunk last night, and ought to be ashamed of myself."

"What are you digging there for?" asked a lotterer of two men who were digging a trench in the street. "Money sir," the answer came. "The man watched the operation until the joke got through the roots of his hair and then moved on."

A paper having discussed the question propounded by a New York paper, "Shall the next President of the United States be a woman?" concludes as follows: "We nominate Powers Greek Slave. She has three of the qualifications, at least—a marble brow, a finely chiseled nose, and a silent tongue."

During Professor Rust's first visit to the "Nursery," he proposed, among other things, to give a lecture on the "Five Senses," which was done to the apparent satisfaction of all, except one little fellow, who remarked, on the Professor's retiring, "I hadn't seen nothin of them nickels yet!"

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